terest covenanted to be paid each year to the mortgagee or his assignee by the mortgagor, to be collected by the proper authorities as other taxes for county purposes in said several above especially enumerated counties are collected; all of such taxes collected in said several counties shall be applied exclusively therein to county purposes, free, clear and discharged from any claim of the State or its fiscal officers; and the tax hereby levied shall in each year be due and payable in that one of the above-named counties, in which the mortgage is recorded. and if any mortgage is recorded in two or more of said abovenamed counties, the tax hereby levied shall each year be paid to the county wherein the greater portion of the property covered by the mortgage is located. This section and the five succeeding sections shall not apply to the remaining counties nor to Baltimore City, as to which remaining counties and city the mortgage tax levied by the Act of 1896, Chapter 120. Sections 146A, 146B, 146C, 146D, 146E, 146F, and by the Act of 1898. Chapter 313, supplemental thereto, is hereby repealed; provided, that nothing in this Act shall apply to taxes already levied.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved April 11, 1910.

## CHAPTER 300.

AN ACT to provide for the general revaluation and re-assessment of property for purposes of taxation in all the counties of this State except Somerset and Worcester Counties.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That there shall be an entire re-valuation and re-assessment, for the purposes of taxation, of all property, real, personal and mixed, and subject to taxation under existing laws of this State, in all the counties in the State of Maryland, except Somerset and Worcester Counties, in the year nineteen hundred and ten, and such an entire re-valuation and re-assessment are hereby ordered and required to be made.

SEC. 2. And be it enacted, To facilitate and expedite the assessment of property in all the counties of this State, under this Act, the several counties of this State are divided into the following assessment districts: Allegany County shall be divided into three assessment districts; the first district shall be composed of the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Sixteenth, Twenty-first, Twenty-second and Twenty-third Election Districts; the second shall be composed of the Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Thirteenth, Seventeenth, Twentieth, Twenty-fourth and Fourtenth Election Districts; and the third shall be composed of the